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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

LISA ANNE LAFFEND

Serial No: 09/575,638

Filed: May 22, 2000

For: BIOCONVERSION OF A
FERMENTABLE CARBON SOURCE TO
1,3-PROPANEDIOL BY A SINGLE
MICROORGANISM

Case No.: CR9715 US DIV1

Art Unit: 1653

Examiner: Hope A. Robinson

MS Petition

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria VA 22313-1450

**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION
FOR PATENT ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**

1. The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a proper reply to a notice or action by the United States Patent and Trademark office. The date of abandonment was the day after the expiration date of the three-month period set for reply in the Non-Final Office Action mailed June 8, 2004, plus any extensions of time obtained.

2. This petition is filed within one year of the date of abandonment.

3. The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) was unintentional.

5. Accompanying this petition is a Response to the June 8, 2004, Non-Final Office Action.

4. The fee for Petition to Revive Unintentionally Abandoned Application under 37 CFR 1.17(m) of **\$1,500.00** is hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 04-1928 (E.I. du Pont de Nemours and Company).

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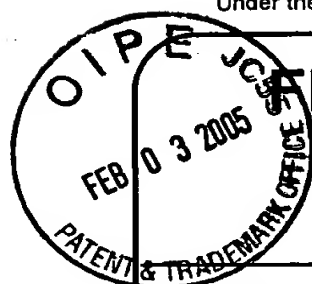
Applicants believe that there are no other fees associated with this submission; however, should an additional fee be due, please charge such fee to Deposit Account No. 04-1928 (E.I. du Pont de Nemours and Company).

Respectfully submitted,



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FREE TRANSMITTAL **for FY 2005**

Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

☐ Applicant Claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 1,500.00

Complete if Known

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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

☐ Check ☐ Credit card ☐ Money Order ☐ Other ☐ None

☒ Deposit Account:

Deposit
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Number

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The Commissioner is authorized to: (check all that apply)

☒ Charge fee(s) indicated below ☒ Credit any overpayments
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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)		
101	1000	201	500	Utility filing fee	
106	430	206	215	Design filing fee	
107	660	207	330	Plant filing fee	
108	1400	208	700	Reissue filing fee	
114	200	214	100	Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1)					(\$ 0)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	<input type="text"/>	-20	=	Extra Claims	X	Fee from below	=	Fee Paid
Independent Claims	<input type="text"/>	-3	=	<input type="text"/>	X	<input type="text"/>	=	<input type="text"/>
Multiple Dependent	<input type="checkbox"/>				X	<input type="text"/>	=	<input type="text"/>

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	
103	50	203	25	Claims in excess of 20
102	200	202	100	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	360	204	180	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	200	209	100	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	50	210	25	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)		
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	120	215	60	Extension for reply within first month	
116	450	216	225	Extension for reply within second month	
117	1020	217	510	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,590	218	795	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	2,160	228	1,080	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	500	219	250	Notice of Appeal	
120	500	220	250	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	1000	221	500	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	500	240	250	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,500	241	750	Petition to revive - unintentional	1,500
142	1,400	242	700	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	800	243	400	Design issue fee	
144	100	244	550	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	790	246	395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	790	249	395	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179	790	279	395	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify) _____

*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid **SUBTOTAL (3)** (\$ 1,500.00)

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Signature				Date	January 31, 2005

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